

Keytesville Locals

R. W. Benecke was here from Brunswick Tuesday.

Wm. Walthers returned to his work at Hannibal Sunday.

Miss Goldena Dean will teach at the Richardson school south of town this fall.

Miss Emery Johnson of south of town is quite ill with typhoid fever.

M. S. Walthers and Arthur Friesz went to Westville Saturday night.

The Odd Fellows lodge here will attend installation at Brunswick Monday night.

Miss Elizabeth Edwards of Kansas is the guest of Miss Virginia Allega at her home east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Drace of Centralia came yesterday for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. White.

Miss Ruth Waller of Marceline, will teach the Cottrell school four miles northeast of town the coming year.

Dr. and Mrs. L. O. Nye and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ola Herring and Ola Gordon spent Sunday afternoon at the cut-off.

Mrs. Ed Harrison went to St. Louis Saturday to meet Mrs. J. W. Wack who will spend a month with her mother, Mrs. E. A. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Samide returned to Kansas City Sunday after a vacation of two weeks with Mrs. Samide's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gordon.

Sheriff Wilks went to Salisbury Tuesday night to arrest Harry Miller on a charge of grand larceny. He is wanted at Waterville, Kansas.

Mrs. Horace Elliott and son Virgil of Brunswick were in town on business Wednesday. The Courier acknowledges a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dugger of Moberly visited relatives here from Friday until Sunday with Mrs. Dugger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cousins.

Judd Smeeton of Kansas City came Monday evening for a visit to his sister, Mrs. A. S. Wilks and other relatives. Mrs. Smeeton will arrive today (Friday.)

A. S. Wilks went to Kansas City Monday morning and from there to Disciplinary Barracks at Ft. Leavenworth as a witness in the Riley case who was given one year in the penitentiary for desertion in the army.

There will be services July 31st at the Christian church in the morning only. You are cordially invited to attend. The pastor will preach Sunday and later will take his vacation, probably in August.

Those interested in the Corinth cemetery are requested to meet at the cemetery Wednesday, August 3rd for the purpose of cleaning up the grounds, etc. By order of J. L. Mason.

Mrs. Ora Van Pelt of Atlanta, president of the Rebekah Assembly, Ben Weidle, grand secretary of grand lodge of Missouri will speak at the county Association of Odd Fellows and Rebekah at Salisbury September 15.

Rev. W. W. Richeson, who has been spending a delightful vacation of five weeks at Chicago university arrived at home Thursday and will fill his own pulpit Sunday. Let all members and friends be in their pews at that time.

Seems like everything is going up some way or other. The United States report of farm land values shows that in 1910 Missouri farm lands were listed at a valuation of \$2,053,000,000, and in 1920 the valuation is shown in the round numbers of \$3,591,000,000.

See Wright & Brewer for 6% money on farm loans. Office at Bank of Keytesville. 26

B. F. Johnson of Dalton was in town on business Tuesday.

C. J. Penrod of the Westville neighborhood was a capital visitor Tuesday.

Robert White will return to New York this week after his vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam White.

Dr. C. E. Stratton, J. W. Starrett, Clem Huff and H. H. Miller of Rothville transacted business in the capitol Tuesday.

O. P. Ray and family were in Salisbury Monday and in returning home they were stalled in the mud about seven miles from town. It rained hard a little east of town, but the natives of Keytesville did not enjoy even a sprinkle.

Friday night Mrs. R. C. Temple came down town to do a bit of shopping. She carried an umbrella with her and in her hand a \$10 bill. About the time she wished to use the money she discovered to her consternation that the money was gone. A careful search was instituted, but to no avail, and she was about to resign herself to the loss. Upon her arrival at the home the bill was discovered in her umbrella. When she dropped the bill or by what method it managed to find a resting place inside the umbrella, she is unable to state. But she was most happily surprised when she realized that the apparent loss was of such short duration.

Old papers for sale, come quick

PIANO AND VIOLIN INSTRUCTION

I am now at home from my school work. Anyone wanting to take piano or violin lessons can call or write for terms and dates.

JESSIE E. RICHARDSON.

NOTICE

Those who owe me please come in and settle at once as I need the money. Do not put this off.

Miss Anna Rucker.

CIVIC PRIDE

Starting from the Courier office and traveling in an easterly direction one come to Price's Park. The natives of Keytesville all know all about the monument of the war veteran for whom the park is named. Also most of us know there is a band stand contained within the confines of the park square. So for so good. The matter, however does not rest there.

How About Appearance?
Travelers coming into town notice the park, the monument, the band stand, and some other little odds and ends, namely, unkempt appearance, the weeds, the uncult grass and the look which belies the real underlying sentiment of Keytesville.

Also, peacefully reposing on the west side of the park, one can notice the remains of the famous "One Horse Shay." The impression is immediately taken the entire park is about to be converted to a junk yard or public dumping ground.

The sidewalk running north and south on the east end of the park is so over run with weeds and grass that the same can hardly be seen. A woman coming along after a rain would ruin her skirts and when the weeds and grass are dusty gents would have to look up a shining parlor in order to appear correctly attired. All of this the stranger immediately takes in at once while hitting the high spots on the fine oiled boulevard in his touring car.

Civic Pride Dead?

This is entirely wrong. The tenderfoot sees these things and his impression is that the town is dead and headed for the bow wows, with no one around with sufficient pep to turn the switch—and it just happens that this is not the fact.

The park is one of the beauty spots of the city. Tall, imposing shade trees bound the park on three sides, and the place properly kept up would give to all strangers a most pleasing appearance.

If the square can't be kept in condition, let's close it up for all time and cut up the tract of ground and erect a few homes thereon.

That's all this time.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK MARKET

The receipts of cattle are liberal, 16,000 Monday and 11,000 today. The market is strong to 25c higher for the week on all fat stuff, the demand for corn fed steers is the best. Top fed yearlings selling at \$9.60, best heavy steers at \$9.10. We sold good 1,200 lb steers at \$8.90. Canners and bulls are selling 10c to 15c higher for the week. Veal calves are selling about 50c lower for the week, the best kind selling from \$8.00 to \$8.60. Stocker and feeder steers are in demand and selling 25c higher for the week. Stock cows, heifers and stock calves are working higher. We expect a liberal run of cattle the remainder of the week and a fair market.

Corn fed steers, good to choice, \$7.65 to \$9.10; medium to fair \$6.25 to \$7.00. Fat cows good to choice \$5.50 to \$6.15; medium to fair \$4 to \$4.50. Yearlings mixed steers \$7.50 to \$9.65; medium to fair \$5.25 to \$6.75. Bulls \$3.50 to \$5.75. Canners \$1.50 to \$2.25.

Feeders good to choice \$6.50 to \$7; medium to fair \$4 to \$5.50. Stickers good to choice \$5.50 to \$7.00; medium to fair \$3.50 to \$5.25. Stock cows and heifers, good to choice \$4 to \$4.75; medium to fair \$3.25 to \$4.25. Stock calves good to choice \$5.00 to \$6.75; medium to fair \$3.50 to \$5.50.

Monday 6,500 hogs, heavy run in Chicago, our market steady to 15c lower today with 9,500 hogs the market is 25c to 35c higher with \$10.60 top to packers and shippers. Bulk of sales \$9.75 to \$10.60. Packing sows strong from \$8.25 to \$9.00. Pigs strong, best around \$9.75.

7,000 sheep to day, market steady on sheep, best Kansas fed ewes top at \$5.35. Good young stock ewes up to \$5. Lambs 25c lower with \$9.50 top but the bulk of good lambs selling at from \$8.75 to \$9.25. Medium flesh and cull lambs hard to sell at any price.

SMOKE SULTANA

Official Constitutional Ballot of Chariton County, Missouri.

STATE OF MISSOURI.

County of Chariton, SS:

I, W. W. White, Clerk of the County Court within and for the State and County aforesaid, do hereby certify that the following is a true list of the constitutional amendments, as the same have been certified to me and are now on file in my office, to be voted for at the election to be held on Tuesday August 2nd, 1921.

Constitutional Convention Ballot

Proposition No. 1
"Shall there be a convention to revise and amend the Constitution?"

YES
NO

Constitutional Ballot

Constitutional Amendment No. 1
Proposed constitutional amendment enabling women to hold any office in this state.

YES
NO

Constitutional Amendment

No. 2
Proposed constitutional amendment providing that the interest of the sixty million dollar authorized road bond issue may be paid from motor vehicle license fees.

YES
NO

Constitutional Amendment

No. 3
Proposed constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to incur and provide by taxation for the payment of indebtedness not exceeding Fifteen Million Dollars for Bonuses to Soldiers and Sailors.

YES
NO

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Court of said County, Done at office in the City of Keytesville, Missouri, this 14th day of July, 1921.

(SEAL)

W. W. White,
Clerk County Court.

Re-open Meat Market

ON OR ABOUT SEPTEMBER 1, 1921, AND WILL ENDEAVOR TO FURNISH YOU WITH THE BEST MEATS THE MARKET AFFORDS. REMEMBER, I WILL BE ON A CASH BASIS. I PAY CASH FOR WHAT I BUY AND MUST SELL FOR CASH IN ORDER TO OPERATE THE BUSINESS. BOTH MEATS AND GROCERIES WILL BE CASH.

All those in debt to me will please call and settle. I need all that is due me

L. B. Thrash

KEYTESVILLE — — — MISSOURI

Local Addenda

Mrs. W. E. Hill is expected this week for the summer at her home here.

Mrs. Geo. Crutchfield is the guest of her mother at Salisbury this week.

Miss Sallye Scott Hill came down from Kansas City Monday evening for a visit to her brother, Frank W. Hill.

Herbert Applegate and Mrs. Jas. L. Applegate drove to Sedalia Sunday for a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Applegate.

Rains fell all around us Monday afternoon. Heavy rains reported at Craneville and Rockford and east of town. Rain is badly needed west of town.

Chas. Huff a prominent citizen of the Rothville neighborhood died the first of the week. At the time of going to press we failed to get the particulars.

Miss Jane Anderson will return to Washington, D. C., on Thursday evening of this week after a three weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Elliott were shopping in Kansas City last week. They went with Dr. R. W. Zillman and returned in his car.

Mrs. L. J. Dye was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Anderson Tuesday, returning to Brunswick in her car with her husband in the evening.

John Mayhugh, wife, son and Miss Marcella Bridger of Kansas City and G. H. Bridger of Mendon were Sunday visitors with Judge and Mrs. J. E. Montgomery.

Readers of the Courier are asked to shop in the paper first. And attention is called to the advertisement of John Willis Maddox who has taken over the old Dameron garage.

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Top prices paid for poultry. Eggs and Cream

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Phone 45

Keytesville — — — Missouri

"The Need of a New Constitution Is the Paramount Issue Before the People of the State"

FINISH THE JOB!

Last November the voters of Missouri, by a majority of 76,622, took the first step toward a revision of our outgrown state Constitution. The second decisive move will be made at a

SPECIAL ELECTION TUESDAY, AUGUST 2

The voters then will be asked the question:

CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION BALLOT

Proposition No. 1—
"Shall a Convention Be Held to Revise and Amend the Constitution?"

VOTE
YES
SCRATCH
NO

The question is squarely up to you, Mr. and Mrs. Voter! There is no argument as to the need of the proposed constitutional revision. You would not conduct your own business or affairs according to the methods of 1875, so why force the State of Missouri to do so?

There will be two separate ballots in this election. Do not overlook either.

FINISH THE JOB!! VOTE "YES"; SCRATCH NO!!

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